



## THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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APPLICANT: Otto J. Gregory      GROUP: Unknown  
SERIAL NO: 09/890,011 ✓      EXAMINER: Unknown  
FILED: July 25, 2001  
FOR: ACTIVE STRAIN GAGES FOR EARTHQUAKE  
DAMAGE ASSESSMENT

Assistant Commissioner of Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

**RENEWED REQUEST UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.497(d)**

The Decision on Petition Under 37 C.F.R. §1.497(d) dated May 17, 2002 has been received and carefully considered.

Enclosed please find the written assent of the assignee to the addition of an inventor as required pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.497(d).

In view thereof, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the Petition Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.48(a) filed on November 29, 2001, (C of M) now being treated as a Request under 37 C.F.R. §1.497(d).

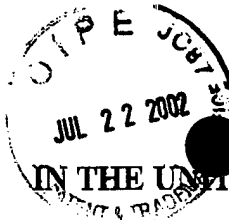
Respectfully submitted,

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**ASSENT OF ASSIGNEE TO CORRECTION  
AND/OR ADDITION OF INVENTOR(S)**

The Board of Governors for Higher Education, State of Rhode Island and Providence  
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**Assignment**

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☐ A separate ☐ "Assignment" (Document) Cover Sheet is attached.

**OR**


☐ Form PTO-1595 is attached.

Assignee hereby assents to the correction of inventorship filed

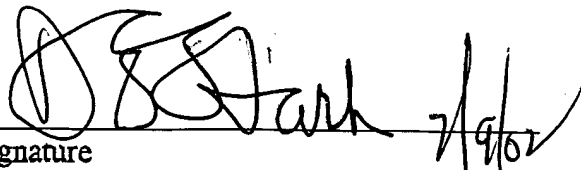
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**CERTIFICATE OF MAILING (37 CFR §1.8(a))**

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Sarah E. Kennedy  
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The undersigned (whose title is supplied below) is empowered to sign this statement on behalf of the assignee.

  
Signature

Dennis E. Stark

Vice President for Business and Finance